

On January 6th, 2009, the start of the 111th Congress, the national debt was \$10,638,425,746,293.80.

This means the national debt has increased by \$2,607,572,715.50 so far this Congress.

This debt and its interest payments we are passing to our children and all future Americans.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Thursday, July 22, 2010 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JULY 27

- 9 a.m.
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
Investigations Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine social security disability fraud, focusing on case studies in Federal employees and commercial drivers licenses.
SD-342
- 10 a.m.
Foreign Relations
To hold hearings to examine considering Afghanistan's reconciliation options.
SD-419
- Small Business and Entrepreneurship
To hold hearings to examine the deep-water drilling moratorium.
SD-106

- 2:15 p.m.
Foreign Relations
Business meeting to consider the nominations of Peter Michael McKinley, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Colombia, Rose M. Likins, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru, Christopher W. Murray, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of the Congo, Mark Charles Storella, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zambia, James Frederick Entwistle, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Eric D. Benjaminson, of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the Gabonese Republic, and to serve concurrently and without additional com-

pensation as Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe, Phillip Carter III, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cote d'Ivoire, J. Thomas Dougherty, of Wyoming, to be Ambassador to Burkina Faso, Michael S. Owen, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sierra Leone, and Laurence D. Wohlers, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Central African Republic, all of the Department of State, Mark Feierstein, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, and Mimi E. Alemayehou, Executive Vice President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the African Development Foundation.
S-116, Capitol

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Alejandro Daniel Wolff, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chile, and Larry Leon Palmer, of Georgia, to be Ambassador to the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, both of the Department of State.
SD-419

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold hearings to examine consumer online privacy.
SR-253

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine Exxon Valdez to Deepwater Horizon, focusing on protecting victims of major oil spills.
SD-226

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine high-risk logistics planning, focusing on progress on improving Department of Defense supply chain management.
SR-418

Environment and Public Works Water and Wildlife Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine assessing natural resource damages resulting from the BP Deepwater Horizon disaster.
SD-406

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.
SH-219

JULY 28

Time to be announced
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
Business meeting to consider H.R. 5610, to provide a technical adjustment with respect to funding for independent living centers under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 in order to ensure stability for such centers, and any pending nominations.
Room to be announced

- 10 a.m.
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.
SD-342

Judiciary

To hold an oversight hearing to examine the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
SD-226

Rules and Administration

To resume hearings to examine the filibuster, focusing on legislative proposals to change Senate procedures.
SR-301

2:30 p.m.

Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine protecting America's water treatment facilities.
SD-406

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine certain nominations.
SD-226

3 p.m.

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

State, Local, and Private Sector Preparedness and Integration Subcommittee

Disaster Recovery Subcommittee

To hold joint hearings to examine flood preparedness and mitigation, focusing on map modernization, levee inspection, and levee repairs.
SD-342

JULY 29

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the new START.
SD-G50

2:30 p.m.

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine closing the language gap, focusing on improving the Federal government's foreign language capabilities.
SD-342

Judiciary

Terrorism and Homeland Security Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the passport issuance process, focusing on closing the door to fraud, part II.
SD-226

AUGUST 5

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.
SR-418

SEPTEMBER 22

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine a legislative presentation focusing on the American Legion.
345, Cannon Building

SEPTEMBER 23

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold an oversight hearing to examine Veterans' Affairs disability compensation, focusing on presumptive disability decision-making.
SR-418